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SOURCE INSPECTION REPORT

Resident Engineer: Pursell, Gary **Report No:** SIR-000143 Address: 333 Burma Road **Date Inspected:** 23-Oct-2007

City: Oakland, CA 94607

OSM Arrival Time: 1400 **Project Name:** SAS Superstructure **OSM Departure Time:** 2300 **Prime Contractor:** American Bridge/Fluor Enterprises, a JV

Contractor: Zhenhua Port Machinery Company, Ltd (ZPMC), Changxing Island **Location:** Shanghai, China

Quality Control Contact: Quality Control Present: Yes Zhou Dong Mei No

N/A **Material transfer:** Yes **Sampled Items:** Yes No No N/A **Stock Transfer:** Yes N/A N/A No OK to Cut: Yes No **Rebar Test Witness:** Yes N/A N/A No **Delayed/Cancelled:** Yes No

Other: N/A

Bridge No: 34-0006 **Component: OBG Test Samples**

Bid Item: Lot No: N/A 52 (SF)

Summary of Items Observed:

OBG-Ultrasonic Procedure tests samples:

The Caltrans Quality Assurance (QA) Inspector Roscoe Dixon was present at the time requested by ZPMC QA Representative Fu Yuhong, to witness the saw cutting, machining and surface polishing of 12 welded Partial Penetration Joint (PJP) tests samples representing the Closed Rib Trial Assembly bottom plate to decking connection.

The ZPMC QA Representative Fu Yuhong was also present and visually inspect the in progress work to mill the edges of samples down to a lines which had been scribed on the face of each sample piece.

Task Leader Jimmy Cochran and Swing Shift Lead Inspector Bruce Berger informed this QA Inspector Dixon that the purpose of the witness inspection was for sample traceability of the sample specimens being cut down to size, and to insure ZPMC machine shop personnel do not mill beyond the surface of the scribed line.

The work was not completed on all 12 sample pieces during the QA Inspector's shift, so the samples were stamped by QA Inspector Dixon with the Caltrans ID stamp, and ZPMC personnel continued the milling of the samples which will be acid etched and inspected for weld penetration results by Caltrans QA on 10/24/07. See photographs to provide additional detail.

Summary of Conversations:

As noted above and basic communication between QC Inspector and QA inspector when and where welding inspections are to be performed.

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Comments

This report is for the purpose of determining conformance with the contract documents and is not for the purpose of making repair or fit for purpose recommendations. Should you require recommendations concerning repairs or remedial efforts please contact Mazen Wahbeh, (818) 292-0659, who represents the Office of Structural Materials for your project.

Inspected By:	Dixon,Roscoe	Quality Assurance Inspector
Reviewed By:	Cochran,Jim	QA Reviewer